

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 97-301-E - ORDER NO. 97-950
NOVEMBER 5, 1997

IN RE: Hartsville H.M.A., Inc. and)	ORDER
Carolina Power & Light Company,)	RULING
)	ON MOTIONS
Complainants,)	
)	
vs.)	
)	
Pee Dee Electric Cooperative, Inc.,)	
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Respondent.)	
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This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina on the motion of Pee Dee Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Pee Dee or the Coop.) for admission of Joyce L. Davis, Esquire to practice before this Commission pro hac vice, and on several other procedural motions.

We grant the motion for admission. As per our rules, however, Ms. Davis must be accompanied at all times by a South Carolina-licensed attorney when appearing before this Commission as co-counsel in this matter.

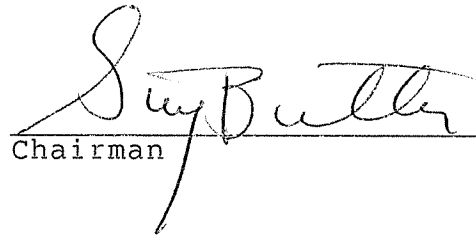
As for procedural matters, Pee Dee requests further oral argument on its Motion to Dismiss, to bring the Commission up to date on what has been occurring in the Circuit Court. Further, the Coop. requests that our ordered prefiling dates be postponed

until there is finality in the Circuit Court.

We grant the motion for supplemental oral arguments on the Motion to Dismiss and rule that these shall be held on **Thursday, November 13, 1997 at 10 A.M.** in the offices of the Commission, along with arguments on any other motions that may be pending in this docket. We also order that the prefiling dates already established by us shall be held in abeyance until further notice.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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